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FOR: SKIN-ACTIVE ADJUVANTS FOR TRANSCUTANEOUS IMMUNIZATION

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION
REQUIREMENT**

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 14, 2001 (Paper No. 9), entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks are requested.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Kindly enter the following amended paragraph.

Page 1, delete the first paragraph starting on line 4, and replace it with the following paragraph:

This application is a continuation in-part of U.S. Appln. No. 08/749,164 (filed November 14, 1996; now U.S. Patent No. 5,910,306); U.S. Appln. No. 08/896,085 (filed July 17, 1997; now U.S. Patent No. 5,980,898); PCT/US97/21324 designating the U.S. (filed November 14, 1997; now abandoned); U.S. Appln. No. 09/257,188 (filed February 25, 1999 and pending); and U.S. Appln. No. 09/309,881 (filed May 11, 1999 and pending). This application also claims priority benefit from provisional U.S. Appln. No. 60/086,196 (filed May 21, 1998). All patent applications cited herein, as well as patents issued therefrom, are incorporated by reference in their entirety.

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